

COUNCIL REPORTS
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Environmental Nuclear Council
Earl Fordham, CHP, Chairperson

ENC-EI – Environmental Nuclear Council – Emerging Issues

Michael Brennan (WA), Chairperson

- ENC-EI developed three items of importance for board consideration:
 - Spent nuclear fuel options criteria initially from CRCPD then states;
 - Possible establishment of working group to evaluate small modular reactors and innovative designs; and
 - Requested that CRCPD lead the United State in moving to SI units in radiological matters.

E-5 Committee on Radioactive Waste Management

Jennifer Opila (CO), Chairperson

- No activities were reported during this period.

E-23 Committee on Resource Recovery and Radioactivity – designated inactive.

E-24 Committee on Decontamination and Decommissioning

Dwight Shearer (PA), Chairperson

- No activities were reported during this period.

E-25 Committee on Radon

William Bell (MA), Chairperson

- Presented “Special Interest Meeting” entitled *Success and Future Planning for Building Technical Capacity Project* at the 43rd National Conference on Radiation Control, May 2011.
- The E-25 committee made preliminary plans for a day long, hands-on, pre-meeting training in conjunction with the 21st National Radon Training Conference.
- Blind testing project continues through contract and EPA laboratory in Las Vegas, NV.
- Round 2 measurements completed.
- The E-25 committee submitted comments on ICRP document.
- The E-25 committee met on July 27-28, 2011 in Orlando, FL to final agenda for the 21st National Radon Training Conference.

E-34 Committee on Unwanted Radioactive Materials

James Yusko, CHP (PA), Chairperson

- The E-34 committee continues to work closely with OED Technical staff and NNSA to identify prudent uses of SCATR and Orphan Source funds to dispose or securely store unwanted radioactive materials.
- E-34 former chair exhibited and attended AAPM annual meeting to discuss Orphan Source and SCATR efforts.

- E-34 committee held “Special Interest Meeting” entitled *Disused and Orphan Sources: Gaps and Solutions* at the 43rd National Conference on Radiation Control in Austin, Texas.
- E-34 chair and OED staff participated in two conference calls to discuss the special interest meeting that was held at the 43rd National Conference on Radiation Control in Austin, TX.
- E-34 chair reviewed two NRC technical guidance documents on waste disposal.

E-35 Coordinator – Multi-Agency Radiation Survey and Site Investigation Manual (MARSSIM)

Jenny Goodman (NJ), Coordinator

- E-35 coordinator provided comments to the federal MARSSIM working group on revisions to MARSSIM.

E-37 Committee on Naval Nuclear Propulsion

Robert Greger, CHP (CA), Chairperson

- E-37 finalized board position on Navy’s Areas of Planning Attention. The CRCPD board position was posted to the CRCPD website.

E-39 Coordinator – Multi-Agency Radiological Laboratory Analytical Protocols (MARLAP)

John Volpe (KY), Coordinator

- No activities reported during this period.

E-40 Liaison – Institute of Scrap Recycling Industries, Inc. (ISRI)

James Yusko, CHP (TX), Liaison

- E-40 liaison participated in conference call regarding DOE Special Permits (SP-10656 and SP-11046).

E-41 Task Force on Radioactivity in Building Materials

Robert Lewis (PA), Chairperson

- E-41 drafted a white paper for state radiation staff/radon contacts to use as guidance on granite countertops or other building materials containing radon.